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BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION

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SUMMARY OF THE INVENTION

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BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE DRAWINGS

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DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF EMBODIMENTS

Page 5, please replace the paragraph beginning at line 16 with the following rewritten paragraph:

According to the invention, the contact portion is produced from a single composite plastics material which is constituted by the mixture of at least one anti-skid component (illustrated in a schematic manner by white circles 18a in FIGS. 2 and 2a) which has a viscosity V1 at the injection temperature and an anti-skid rigid component (illustrated in a schematic manner by black discs ~~20~~ 20a in FIGS. 2 and 2a) which is physico-chemically compatible with the anti-skid component and which has a viscosity V2 at the injection temperature. The

viscosity V1 is lower than the viscosity V2 so that the anti-skid outer zone comprises a higher concentration of anti-skid component than the rigid zone.